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5. [REDACTED] Picked up a copy of an article on heroin traffic from the March issue of the publication Earth from Miss Amelia Graves, Senator Symington's (D., Mo.) secretary, as a followup to the Senator's earlier conversation with the Director.

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6. [REDACTED] Delivered to Mr. Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, a transcript of the Director's testimony of 3 February 1972 before the Defense Subcommittee for review by Representative Jamie Whitten (D., Miss.). Later in the day, Mr. Preston told me that Representative Whitten had not completed the review and that Mr. Preston will hold the transcript in his own safe.

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7. [REDACTED] Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Assistant Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who told me that he plans to meet with the Chairman during the day on the question of a transcript of tomorrow's meeting. Pending this meeting, Mr. Slatinshek said we should plan that a reporter will be present. He noted that under the present rules of the House any member is free to inspect the transcript at a later date and, in consequence, the Director should be advised to go off the record wherever he feels there is any sensitivity involved in his response to questions. He also asked when he will receive a copy of the Director's notes. I told him I thought they would be ready late in the day. Mr. Slatinshek noted, in passing, that he was awaiting a White House call to arrange for an appearance by Mr. George Shultz, of OMB, before the Nedzi Subcommittee on the question of the reorganization of the intelligence community.

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8. [REDACTED] Ran into Mr. Al Westphal, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, in the corridor of the Capitol. He told me that the time is getting short with Congress starting in recess this week for Lincoln's birthday for consideration by the conferees of S. 18, the Radios bill. He will call me as soon as he has any word.

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